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STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY  
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
BOARD OF DENTISTRY

IN THE MATTER OF	:	
	:	Administrative Action
<b>JEFFREY PAUL POWELL, D.D.S.</b>	:	
LICENSE NUMBER DI 17715	:	
	:	FINAL ORDER
LICENSED TO PRACTICE	:	
DENTISTRY IN THE STATE OF	:	
NEW JERSEY	:	

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry ("the Board") on information received which the Board has reviewed and on which the following findings are made:

1. Respondent Jeffrey Paul Powell, D.D.S., ("respondent") last residing at 248 Palsa Avenue, Elmwood Park, New Jersey 07407, has been a licensee of the Board at all times relevant hereto.

2. On June 16, 1999 a Provisional Order of Discipline ("POD") was filed against respondent alleging that he had failed to complete the required forty hours of continuing education for the 1997-1999 licensure renewal period and had further failed to comply with the Board's directive to complete those credits by December 31, 1998 and pay a \$500.00 civil penalty for his failure to

complete the credits as required. The POD preliminarily suspended respondent's license until he completed the forty credits and payed the \$500.00 civil penalty..

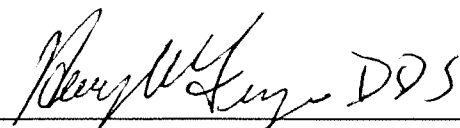
3. Respondent did submit a response with supporting documentation to the POD.

Having reviewed the entire record in this matter, including respondent's reply to the POD, the Board has determined that respondent did pay the \$500.00 civil penalty in a timely fashion and did complete the continuing education credits for the 1997-1999 licensure renewal period during the period from 1995-1997 although he did not advise the Board of that fact prior to the filing of the POD.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ON THIS *16<sup>th</sup>* DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2000

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

The Provisional Order of Discipline filed by the Board on June 16, 1999 in this matter is hereby withdrawn and the Board has determined that there is insufficient basis for disciplinary action in this matter.

  
Henry Finger, D.D.S.  
Board President